NIXON TO ISSUE 'NEW, CLEAR POLICY' ON ACCEPTING POLITICAL REFUGEES

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Washington, Dec. 2 - The White House said today that President Nixon would set forth a "new, clear policy" on political refugees to prevent recurrence of the incident last week in which the United States Coast Guard refused sanctuary to a Lithuanian sailor.

One official said that when Mr. Nixon learned of the incident, nearly a week after it happened, he expressed anguish that it would be interpreted outside the United States as a sign that Americans were losing their moral fiber and resolve.

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